GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of wildlife sanctuaries at present in Madhya Pradesh;

(b) the amount provided to them during the last three years, year-wise;

(c) whether the expenditure of the said amount is reviewed; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS

(SHRI BABU LAL MARANDI)

a)& b) There are 35 wildlife sanctuaries in Madhya Pradesh and the central assistance provided to these sanctuaries during the last three years, under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme, `Development of National Parks and Sanctuaries` is as follows:

Year	Rs in lakhs
1997-98	101.04
1998-99	32.13
1999-2000	133.51

c) & d) Expenditure upto 31st March 1999 has been reviewed. State Government have utilised 62.495 lakhs out of Rs 133.17 lakhs released during 1997-98 and 1998-99.